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MEMORANDUM FOR: DA Planning Officer

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Director of SecurityILLEGIB SUBJECT: CIA Committees 



REFERENCE: Memo from EXDIR to DDA dtd 5 Mar 1985, Same Subject

From a review of the numerous committees, panels, and boards, on which Office of Security personnel serve, it is recommended that the following be abolished or consolidated:

° The Honor and Merit Awards Board, and the Suggestion and Achievement Awards Committee, have the same general purpose, i.e., to consider and make recommendations concerning employee recognition for special creativity, performance, heroism, etc. It is recommended that these two groups be merged.

° The Countermeasures Advisory Panel (CAP), sponsored and chaired by the National Security Agency, with the apparent endorsement of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy, is in the early stages of development. Its apparent purpose is to deal with technical security countermeasures matters on the national level. In the opinion of Office of Security observers, it is redundant to the Technical Security Countermeasures Subcommittee of the DCI Security Committee.

° The Security Affairs Support Association is a private association with members primarily from defense industries. Recently, it has proposed to act as a broker between the Government and its contractors on personnel security matters. The Office of Security, and the DCI Security Committee are strongly opposed to this proposal and have informed the Association of this objection. 

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° The Overseas Candidate Review Panel, [REDACTED] is composed of representatives of the Office of Personnel, Office of Security, Office of Medical Services, and the Deputy Director for Operations. Its purpose is to determine the suitability of employees for overseas assignments. While this is an important function, a formal panel is not needed. The offices concerned do review their files on all overseas candidates and, when appropriate, exchange information and/or meet concerning problem cases. Serious cases are referred to the Personnel Evaluation Board for resolution.

° In the interest of reducing the number of committees, it would appear that the Agency Overpayment Review Board, the Administrative Allowances Committee, and the Allowance Policy Committee, could be merged.

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